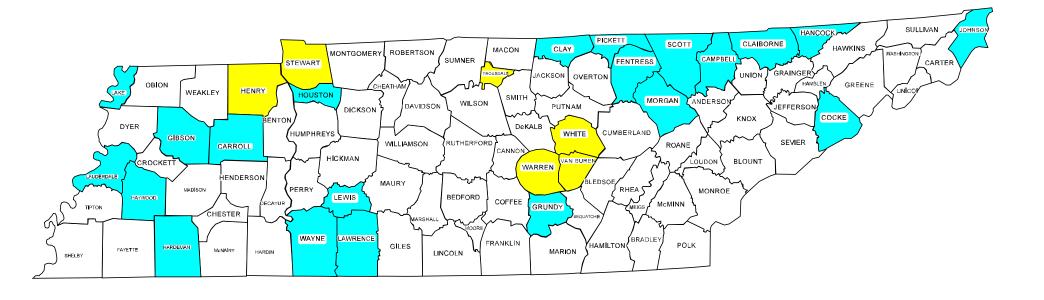
## **ECONOMIC STATUS OF TENNESSEE**



ECONOMICALLY DISTRESSED COUNTIES: The 10 most disadvantaged counties in each of the following categories: 3 year average unemployment, per capita market income, or poverty rate.

COMMISSIONER'S DISCRETION: Any county not otherwise designated which exhibits substantial characteristics of economic distress such as major loss of employment, recent high unemployment rates, traditionally low levels of family incomes, high levels of poverty, and high concentrations of employment in declining industries.



**Economically Distressed Counties Effective July 1, 2006** 

Campbell	Fentress	Haywood	Lauderdale	Scott	Wayne
Carroll	Gibson	Henry	Lawrence	Stewart	White
Claiborne	Grundy	Houston	Lewis	Trousdale	
Clay	Hancock	Johnson	Morgan	Van Buren	
Cocke	Hardeman	Lake	Pickett	Warren	